

assumed by the men in this State's service.

In fact, their advancement will be one of the arguments to be used, although it is already known to the War Department through the reports of its inspecting officers. For the past year, these reports have been distinctly more favorable than at any previous time, showing the constant increase in efficiency.

For two successive years, the infantry officers have had camps of instruction—on 1910 near Petersburg and in 1911 at Luray. The field artillery officers have now been going for some years to Fort Riley, Kansas, for special instruction. Encampments were held last summer at Copper, Basic City and Taylor's Crossing, especially for the enlisted men. The regular army officers present on these occasions had much to say of the marked improvement in the skill and training of the men of the service.

Schools of instruction. Captain George F. Balford, United States Army, is now conducting in a series of schools for infantry officers, which meet frequently, following a prescribed course of study, on which there will later be examinations, upon which will be based the efficiency reports.

Captain Oliver L. Spaulding, United States Army, detailed to the field artillery, is performing a like service for that branch of the militia.

Perhaps the best evidence of the determination to require higher standards in official life in Virginia, as applied to the military, lies in the fact that the battalion of coast artillery was mustered out of the service because it did not measure up. All these things the War Department will be told about and the members of Congress reminded of.

The increasing interest is shown by the recent mustering in of new companies of infantry at Leesburg and Winchester, and the pending applications from Clifton Forge and Norfolk.

Property is now cared for in such a way that it cannot be lost and unaccounted for, this being a point with which to impress the department.

The commercial bodies of the city, including the Chamber of Commerce, the Business Men's Club, and other organizations are expected to take the matter up, while the City Council will be asked to help.

It is probable that a brigade of infantry, with its complement of cavalry and artillery, medical corps and signal corps, would be brought to Richmond permanently if this army post can be secured. The advantages to the city, it is believed, will be too obvious to need discussion.

OHIO'S GREAT DEBT TO OLD DOMINION

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Cincinnati, Ohio, January 18.—To an accompaniment of "Dixie," sung by 500 patriotic members of the Cincinnati Commercial Association, Hon. Henry St. George Tucker, of Lexington, Va., was greeted at the annual meeting of the organization to-night. He made a brilliant address, in which he referred to the relationship existing between Virginia and her first daughter, Ohio.

He touchingly referred to the position in Virginia's debt of gratitude to the Northwestern Territory forever prohibiting chattel slavery in that section. He declared that 50,000 Virginians came to Ohio in the decade before the war, and said that many of them have been prominent in the development of the State, laughingly remarking that even Cincinnati's reform Mayor was willing to listen with interest to the talk of his old Virginia ancestors.

The commercial relations of Cincinnati and the South must necessarily grow closer and closer as time goes on, said Mr. Tucker. "Blood is thicker than water, and Old Virginia, not falling into the mire and yellow leaf, but renewing her youth like the eagle, with the wisdom which comes from age and the discretion which comes from long experience, looks with joyous pride at the onward march of her beautiful and well-blessed daughter, Ohio."

The stories of your progress, which

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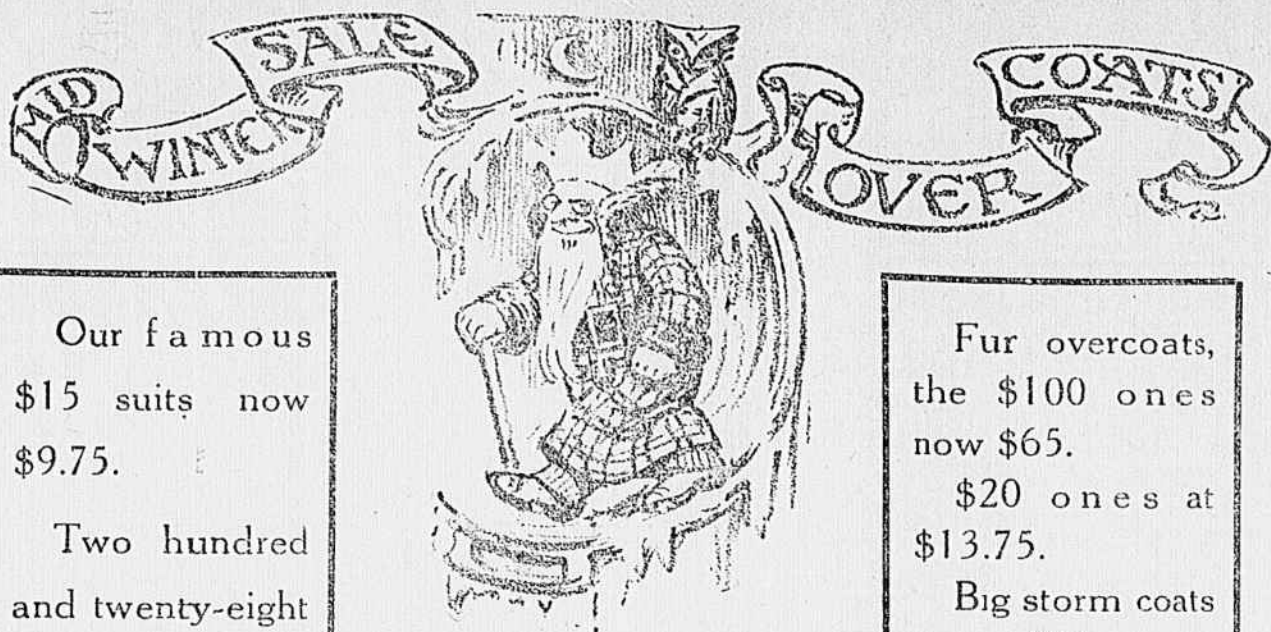
ANNOUNCEMENT

We beg to announce to our friends and patrons that we have secured new quarters in a very commodious warehouse at the corner of Sixth and Canal Streets (the Williams building, one block from our destroyed plant) and several other warehouses.

We have a large volume of stock now en route to us from our factory connections, and have our assurances that further shipments will continue speedily, and therefore we will in a few days be well equipped for resumption of business, which facilities, together with the extensive ones of our Memphis plant, as well as nearby plants, many of which have kindly placed their facilities at our disposal, will enable us to execute orders with dispatch.

We hope for your kind favor and consideration, and that you will continue to accord to us your regular patronage, which we will very much appreciate.

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suits now \$22.75.

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more of our \$35,
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suits now \$27.75.

Old Father January has walked right into our prices and nipped 'em right and left. To the man who has a taste for luxury in dress, here's a chance to gratify the taste without seeming extravagance. The wise man will seize this chance to buy two suits. Wearing them alternately they will outwear three suits.

Fur overcoats,
the \$100 ones
now \$65.

\$20 ones at
\$13.75.

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were \$35 now
\$22.75.

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belted ones were
\$25 now \$17.75.

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with serge \$20
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ANOTHER MEETING OF LEAGUE PROBABLE

Bradley Receives Message From Farrell Saying That Member of Board Will Preside -- January 26 Late Named by Anti-Williams Faction and Lynchburg the Place.

BY GUS MALBERT.
J. H. Farrell, secretary of the National Board of Arbitration, yesterday wired W. B. Bradley that if the three clubs opposing C. H. Williams and dissenting to the meeting here Monday in Petersburg at which Williams was declared re-elected, united in a call for a meeting, he would see that a member of the board would preside. Richmond, Danville and Lynchburg have united in a call, and notice has been forwarded to President Williams at Roanoke.

Quick upon the announcement of another meeting and another election of president comes the information that the Danville Baseball Corporation held a meeting last night and decided that the franchise of this city in the Virginia League was not for sale for any price to anybody. The position of President O. L. Roach in opposing Williams was upheld, and that city at least will continue in opposition to the present line of action.

C. R. Williams said last night that neither J. H. Farrell nor any other outsider would preside at the meeting

of a native Virginian. "These considerations, as well as propinquity, naturally tend to make the relationship between Cincinnati and the South most cordial in all respects, and must make the development of trade between the South and Cincinnati natural, agreeable and profitable. But, Ohioans, you owe the old mother another debt, greater than all these, greater than all others—debts, even with your prodigious resources, I dare venture to claim before this great body of loyal Ohioans you can never repay."

"You are the daughter of Old Virginia. With loving hands she gave you with others to the Union. When you were yet unborn, on ventral seas, she knew that her progeny should be approaching, she prepared with her own loving hands a basket for your coming that would have excited the admiration of any young mother, however careful and tender, containing ever so many beautiful and imperishable treasures. Ah, my friends, Virginia had had slavery thrust upon her by North and South, as well as old England. She had struggled for a century to rid herself of it. She had experienced its blighting effect. She was unwilling that her progeny should suffer as she had done, and in her deed of gift of the Northwest Territory to the Union, embracing your great State, she, of her own volition, wrote into that instrument that slavery should never exist within the length and breadth of its broad domain."

of the Virginia League. "We will stand on our constitutional rights in this matter," said Mr. Williams. "I will call the meeting as provided for in the constitution. I cannot say whether the other three clubs will be present. I can say that no outsider will preside. We have our rights and we will stick up for them. That part of the league which has been supporting me has always been for harmony and has been willing to do anything excepting that which the other half of the league wants to do; that is, submit to domination by any one faction."

Here is some more of it and words than the other. Four times presidents have been elected by the Virginia League since the close of the season, and at each election the breach has been widened. It may not be surprising if the fifth election should mean the actual undoing of the league. Probably never before in organized baseball has such a condition prevailed. Half of the league is waging war on the other half. No love is lost between either side. Now it's all in the game, but it's getting awful tiresome.

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LEE'S BIRTHDAY TO BE OBSERVED

Banquet and Camp Fire Planned by Members of A. P. Hill Camp.

Times-Dispatch Bureau, 5 Bollingbrook Street, Phone 1455.
Petersburg, Va., January 18.—A. P. Hill Camp of Confederate Veterans, on account of the wet condition of the streets, will omit their annual parade to-morrow afternoon in honor of General Lee's birthday, but will honor the day with a banquet and campfire at night. Among the speakers at the banquet will be Mayor D. C. Richardson, of Richmond; Mayor Maryus Jones, of Newport News; Hon. Tipton E. Jennings, of Lynchburg, Inspector-General of the Grand Camp of

of Springfield, Mass.; Walter Edward Harris, of Petersburg, and several members of the camp.

Petersburg Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, will observe General Lee's anniversary by serving tea at the residence of the president, Mrs. W. Pryor Jones, on South Sycamore Street, and by conferring crosses of honor.

Many Indictments.
The Hustings Court began its January term this morning. The grand jury returned eleven indictments for felony against persons charged with such crimes as highway robbery, robbery, housebreaking, shooting and wounding, etc. Several cases were tried during the day, resulting in convictions of misdemeanors. Cornelius Rose, negro, got a term of four years in the penitentiary in one case of highway robbery, and another like charge is pending against him.

Receiver Appointed.
On application of Lassiter & Drewry, counsel for the company, Judge Mullen to-day appointed a receiver for the Stratford Liquor Company, doing business on Second Street. Charles T. Lassiter was named as receiver, giving a bond of \$2,000. The affairs of the company will be wound up.

Personal and General.
Petersburg Lodge of Elks at their meeting this week appropriated the sum of \$25 to the poor and turned over the amount to-day. Nearly all of the secret orders have aided the poor during this hard weather.
The Rev. George E. Booker, D. D., of Washington Street Methodist Episcopal Church, is preaching a series of able and very interesting sermons on "The Lord's Prayer."
Dr. R. M. Bidgood is confined to his home in Friend Street by sickness.
R. R. Lewis, of Canada, who has been visiting relatives in Petersburg for several weeks, left yesterday to visit other relatives in Kentucky before returning home.
A cow belonging to C. C. Webb, of Dinwiddie county, which was bitten some time ago by a rabid dog, was attacked with rabies a day or two ago and had to be killed.
The condition of E. R. Beckwith, the well known druggist, shows no improvement. He is critically ill.
Missionary in Persia.
The Second Presbyterian Church, of this city, supports a missionary in Persia, the Rev. Isaac E. Youhannan, and is now educating his son, who when he graduates at the Medical College, in Richmond, will go to Persia as a medical missionary. The Rev. Isaac Youhannan was educated in Virginia, and his home is in Petersburg, and is a naturalized citizen, and pays taxes here. He is a man of fair education, and for years has been engaged in active mission work among his people. His son who is now being educated by the Second Presbyterian Church, is a young man of great promise, has thoroughly mastered the English language and is mastering the science of medicine, in order to practice the profession in Persia.

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HEYBURN BITTER AGAINST GOMPERS

Washington, D. C., January 18.—A sharp attack on President Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor, was made in the Senate to-day by Mr. Heyburn, of Idaho, who protested that a communication from Mr. Gompers should not be received by the Senate. He said that no communication should be accepted from that source after the revelations made in the McNamara case. Mr. Heyburn had a colloquy with several Senators, who insisted that any citizen had a right to address a communication to the Senate. The Idaho Senator demanded to know if any Senator could vouch for Gompers's citizenship.

There was no reply, but when it was explained that the letter was simply to transmit a protest against power presses in the Bureau of Printing and Engraving, Mr. Heyburn withdrew his objection.

Senator Reed, of Missouri, criticized Mr. Heyburn for attempting to shut out a communication from the American Federation of Labor. The latter replied that he referred to Gompers individually.

Bowling
The Richmond Lunch and Bunk & Co. bowled their regular scheduled series at the Newport last night. The Richmond Lunch showed form and made a clean sweep of the series, despite the fact that Bunk & Co. drafted a couple of players from a major league. Leverage ended by rolling a total of 265 and high score of 205, total 595. Gooch, a new player with Bunk & Co., was high score, 175; also high total, 462. Ellis was second high score, 165, and Waldbach second high total, 415. The scores:

	1	2	3	Total
Barrow (Capl.)	126	159	174	459
Wallace	169	171	133	473
Mercer	98	142	122	362
Leaving	158	174	295	565
Barrow, J.	122	145	177	444
Blind	139	139
Totals	740	845	929	2,514

	1	2	3	Total
Marshall (Capl.)	111	136	141	388
Waldbach	128	122	131	381
Ellis	163	126	113	402
Gooch	164	184	178	526
Jones	169	160	158	487
Blind	139	139
Totals	674	655	730	2,059

To-night 8:30 Pro-Phy-Tol vs. Vaughn-Kidderston.

OBITUARY
Lyander C. Journey.
Lyander C. Journey died yesterday morning at 3 o'clock in Danville. He had lived in Richmond practically all of his life, having been for twenty-two years a special policeman in Hol-

DEATHS
JOURNEY.—Died, Thursday morning at 3 o'clock at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. R. L. Dunstan, 723 Main Street, Danville, Va., LYANDER C. JOURNEY.

The burial will be from Hollywood Chapel THIS AFTERNOON at 3 o'clock. His remains will be re-interred from the chapel's undertaking parlor at 10 A. M. this morning.

CREERY.—Died, at the Virginia Hospital, Petersburg, Va., after a long illness, at 10 o'clock, W. IRVING CREERY, in the fifty-second year of his age. He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church, Twenty-second and Venable Streets. THIS AFTERNOON at 4 o'clock, Friends and acquaintances are invited to attend. His remains are at his late residence, 2008 Venable Street. Interment in Oakwood.

ELLISON.—Died, January 15, 1912, at 9 A. M. MRS. ALICE HIX ELLISON, wife of the late William Ellison. She is survived by one son, Herman Hix Smith, of this city, and three brothers, C. H. Hix, of Norfolk, Va.; H. W. Hix, of Salem, Va., and T. Dan Hix, of this city.

Funeral SATURDAY MORNING at 11 o'clock from the residence, 205 East Franklin Street.

ARCHER.—Died, at the residence of his parents, No. 41 North Street, Petersburg, Va., at 5:30 A. M., PETER JEFFERSON ARCHER, JR., aged ten days.

Funeral private.

BROWN.—Departed this life, January 17, 1912, at 2:59 P. M. at 439 Peter Street, MRS. JAMES L. BROWN. Funeral notice later.

CREERY.—Entered into rest, January 17, 1912, WASHINGTON IRVING CREERY, in his fifty-eight year. He leaves a widow, two brothers, two sisters, and a mother. He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church, Twenty-second and Venable Streets. THIS AFTERNOON at 4 o'clock, Friends and acquaintances are invited to attend. His remains are at his late residence, 2008 Venable Street. Interment in Oakwood.

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Funeral 11 A. M. SATURDAY from the residence, 205 East Franklin Street.

HALL.—Died, January 15, 1912, at Winona, Va., JULIEN ASTIN HALL, son of the late John W. and Annie E. Hall. He is survived by his wife, mother and one sister.

MASSIE.—Died, at her residence, 501 North Third Street, at 11:45 A. M., January 15, 1912, MRS. FANNIE E. MASSIE, wife of G. Massie, in the thirty-eighth year of her age.

Funeral from her late home, at 11:30 A. M. JANUARY 19. Philadelphia papers please copy.

MINTER.—Died, at Retreat for the Sick, January 15, 1912, JAMES E. MINTER, in his thirty-fourth year. He leaves a wife and one daughter, Cecil.

Funeral from the residence of Mr. George Minter, 2500 East Grace Street, FRIDAY, at 1 P. M. Interment Riverview.

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I believe it my duty to make this public statement that I may help others who may be suffering from the same trouble. Swamp-Root is without question the greatest remedy in the world. Any one in doubt of this statement or the authenticity can address me as below.

Yours very truly,
M. H. McCoy,
Van Wert, O.

State of Ohio, Van Wert County—ss: The foregoing statement, sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 18th day of July, 1909, by the said M. H. McCoy.

A. C. GILPIN, Notary Public.

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lywood Cemetery, resigning that position on November 1 last on account of age and infirmities. He had since made his home with his only child, Mrs. to-day at Danville.

The body was brought to Richmond last night, and the interment will be made in Hollywood at an hour yet to be fixed.

Mrs. Fannie A. Head.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Leesburg, Va., January 18.—Mrs. Fannie A. Head, widow of Rev. Nelson Head, D. D., of Leesburg, died at the Catonsville Sanatorium, Catonsville, Md., Monday night. The remains were brought to Leesburg yesterday morning, and the funeral services were held at 11 o'clock at the Methodist Church, South, by the pastor, Rev. W. M. Waters. Mrs. Head was seventy-two years of age and was the daughter of Joseph Head. She is survived by one brother, John Head, of Millersville, Md.

Funeral services will be held at 11 o'clock, Monday morning, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Dutton, in Leesburg. She was a native of Buckeye, Md., and one daughter, Mrs. Dutton, was a Confederate courier. He leaves a number of children, including three sons, two daughters, and a wife, and Mrs. Norman Brooks, of Staunton, and two sisters, Mrs. P. G. Foley and Miss Annie Dutton, of Washington.

G. Frank Willingham.
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Berryville, Va., January 18.—G. Frank Willingham, who died at his home near Berryville, on Sunday night, was buried yesterday afternoon in Green Hill Cemetery. Dr. Julian Broadbent, conducting the services, was held at 11 o'clock at the Methodist Church, South, by the pastor, Rev. W. M. Waters. Mrs. Head was seventy-two years of age and was the daughter of Joseph Head. She is survived by one brother, John Head, of Millersville, Md.

Mrs. Jennie Maupin.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Charlottesville, Va., January 18.—G. E. Maupin, aged sixty-two, a well known Abingdon farmer, died yesterday at his home near Keswick. His wife, who was Miss Fannie Mundy, died in 1908. He leaves a son, who also leaves two brothers and three sisters—Samuel and Charles Mahanes, Rebecca Shotwell, Mrs. Fannie Harris and Mrs. Mary Bruce—all of this county.

Mrs. Caroline Price.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Harrisonburg, Va., January 18.—Mrs. Caroline Price, seventy years old, widow of Townsend Price, in his day a widely known Abingdon citizen, died to-day at his home near Keswick. He leaves two brothers and three sisters—Samuel and Charles Mahanes, Rebecca Shotwell, Mrs. Fannie Harris and Mrs. Mary Bruce—all of this county.

H. W. Helmer.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Norfolk, Va., January 18.—H. W. Helmer, a highly respected citizen of this city, died this afternoon. He was seventy-five years old, and is survived by his wife and three children.

A CARD

We desire through this medium to express our gratefulness and appreciation of the heroic work under highly dangerous and adverse conditions of the Fire Department, and especially of the brave and self-sacrificing men who have labored so hard and long to save our plant from destruction at the fire on the 17th instant, and we are greatly distressed and deeply regret the unfortunate accident that befell the two gallant firemen while courageously discharging their duty in a manner characteristic of the men of our Fire Department.

We also wish at the same time to express our sincere appreciation of the many expressions of sympathy and generous offers of assistance so kindly tendered us by many of our friends.

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